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In re application of: Amos NUSSINOVITCH et al. Confirmation No. 2188

Application No: 10/657,673 Group Art Unit: 1657

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For: DRIED CELLULAR HYDROCOLLOID

CARRIEDS COMPRISING VIA DLE

Atty. Docket No.: 85189-5100

CARRIERS COMPRISING VIABLE MICROORGANISMS AND USE THEREOF

IN BIOLOGICAL CONTROL

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Sir:

In response to the final Office action mailed March 8, 2007, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

Amendments to the Claims appear herein starting on page 2.

Remarks in support of the patentability of the claims appear starting on page 8 herein.

A Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is enclosed.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission other than a request for an extension of time that is filed concurrently herewith. Should any other fees be required, please charge all such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP deposit account 50-1814.